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Re: Application of **Neil MCGREGOR** entitled

**A METHOD OF TREATMENT OR PROPHYLAXIS OF SYMPTOMS OF
HERPES VIRAL INFECTION**

Assignee: **PENAM INVESTMENTS PTY. LTD.**

Our Ref: **Q89079**

Dear Sir:

The following documents and fees are submitted herewith in connection with the above application for the purpose of entering the National stage under 35 U.S.C. §371 and in accordance with the Patent Cooperation Treaty:

- a copy of the International Application as filed.
- a copy of the ISR.
- a copy of the IPER.
- a PTO/SB/08 A & B (modified) listing the ISR/IPER references.
- a Preliminary Amendment.
- it is expressly requested that the national stage of processing be commenced immediately in accordance with 35 U.S.C. § 371(f)**

A copy of the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and a copy of the executed assignment will be submitted at a later date.

In addition to the documents submitted herewith, it is assumed that copies of the International Application as filed, the International Search Report and complete copies of the cited references, copy of the certified copy of the priority document, the International Preliminary Examination Report, and any Articles 19 and 34 amendments as required by §371(c) will be supplied directly by the International Bureau, but if further copies are needed, the undersigned will undertake to provide them upon request.

Please see the attached preliminary amendment before calculating Government filing fee.

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The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

Total claims	<u>44</u>	-	<u>20</u>	=	<u>24</u>	x	\$50.00	=	<u>\$1,200.00</u>
Independent claims	<u>4</u>	-	<u>3</u>	=	<u>1</u>	x	\$200.00	=	<u>\$200.00</u>
Base Fee									<u>\$300.00</u>
ISA Fee - Non US, WIPO, EPO, JPO									<u>\$150.00</u>
Search Fee*									<u>\$400.00</u>
Examination Fee*									<u>\$200.00</u>
<u>TOTAL FEE</u>									<u>\$2,450.00</u>

* The international search fee for all claims was not paid to the USPTO, as the ISA, but the ISR is being submitted herewith.

A check for the statutory filing fee of \$2,450.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

Priority is claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
AUSTRALIA	2003900064	January 9, 2003

Since the anniversary of the priority date fell on a Saturday, the filing of this application on Monday, July 11, 2005 is sufficient to obtain the benefit of priority and still considered timely filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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